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IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

No. 2014-CP-01600-COA

JOSEPH P. DONOVAN

Appellant

FILED

v.

G. TODD BURWELL, INDIVIDUALLY, AND LATHAM & BURWELL, PLLC

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ORDER

This matter comes before the Court on Appellant Joseph P. Donovan's pro se motion for an extension of time until February 23, 2016, to respond to the appellees' motion for rehearing. The appellees timely filed for rehearing on January 26, 2016, and Donovan moved for time to respond on February 3, 2016. Donovan incorrectly believes his response is due on February 7, 2016. The due date was actually February 2, 2016, seven days after rehearing was filed. M.R.A.P. 40(a). His motion for time is one day late. Nonetheless, Donovan attributes the delay to the fact that he did not receive notice by mail of the rehearing motion until Saturday, January 30, 2016, and to the fact that he is proceeding pro se. The Court finds the motion for time is well taken.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Donovan's pro se motion for an extension of time is granted. Donovan's response to the appellees' motion for rehearing is due on or before February 23, 2016.

SO ORDERED, this the ______ day of February, 2016.

JACK L. WILSON, JUDGE